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Quebec Parley Hatched U. S. Bombing Plot

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The plot to bomb American freedom shrines—and also U. S. oil fields and military installations—was hatched at a terrorist meeting of 15 to 20 American extremists last month in northern Quebec, high police sources said last night. Chairman of the strategy session, allegedly attended by Robert Collier, leader of the Black Liberation Front, and undercover Patrolman Raymond A. Wood, was Robert F. Williams, a renegade American Negro who now works for Castro and Red China.

Williams, former head of a North Carolina branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored

Since then he has been making regular hate broadcasts from Havana, urging American Negroes in the "white, racist, fascist society" to meet violence with violence. In December, the bearded, 39-year-old Williams was heard on the North Viet Nam radio denouncing the U.S. military "aggressors" in South Viet Nam.

Quebec a Springboard

According to THE NEWS informants, Quebec has been used as a springboard for terrorist plotting against this country. In certain areas of the French-speaking province, there is strong anti-American feeling, and a direct Montreal-Havana air service has made it easy for Castroites—such as Williams—to maintain close contact with the Quebec and American fanatics.

Additionally, these sources said, there are two groups in Canada, the Army of Liberation of Quebec and the Liberation Front of Quebec, which follow the hard line of Chinese Communist boss Mao Tze-tung—whom Williams has visited in Peking.

Last year, several small Canadian terrorist groups were smashed, but caches of their supplies, including weapons, dynamite and Chinese manuals on sabotage, were not recovered, and the stuff has since been disseminated in this country.

Like Communist activist groups, the Black Liberation Front is believed to operate through cells of only three to five members,

which minimizes the danger of leaks. However, in bagging Collier, two fellow Negro extremists and attractive, blonde Michelle Duclos, a French-Canadian separatist, police picked up leads on additional members of the outfit.

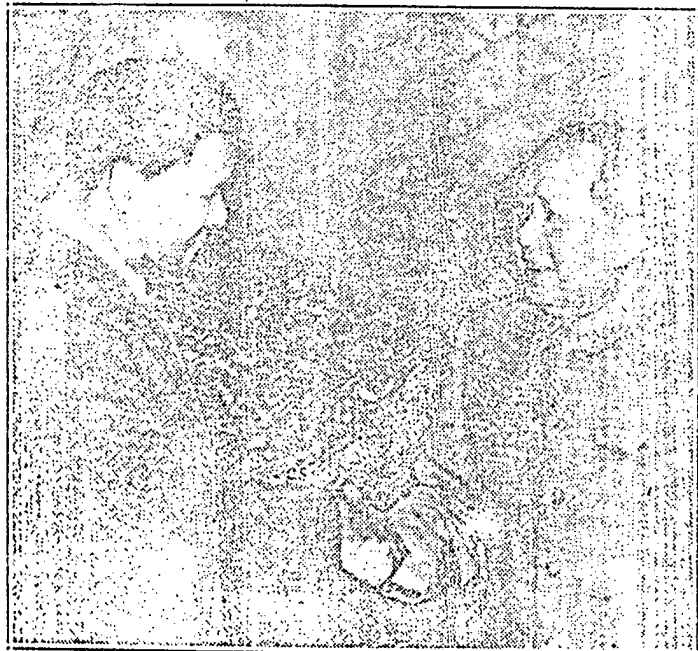
Collier's mob primarily intended "symbolic" protests by bombing the Statue of Liberty, Liberty Bell and Washington Monument, authorities said. But the Quebec meeting also called for stepping up terrorist activity through attempts to destroy oil fields and military installations, THE NEWS was told.

Follow Latin Pattern

The pattern was to follow the violence perpetrated in a number of South American countries allegedly under the guidance of Ernesto (Che) Guevara, Cuba's No. 2 man, whom Collier is known to have met at least twice.

The hazardous undercover service performed by Wood was rewarded again by the Police Department yesterday. Immediately after the plot was discovered and the arrests made, Wood was promoted from a \$6,647-a-year rookie cop to third grade detective.

Then yesterday the commissioner decided to improve on this. He announced that Wood was promoted to second grade detective, at \$8,572 a year. These unprecedented, on-the-spot promotions made the undercover man one of the fastest rising men on the force.



Robert Williams shook hands with Red Chinese leader Mao Tze-tung during meeting in Peking Oct. 1, 1963.

People, fled to Cuba four years ago after being indicted for the kidnaping of a white couple during racial rioting in Monroe, N.C.